



## Rev. Charles Michael "Mike" Baker

June 13, 1949 - April 30, 2019

Rev. Charles Michael "Mike" Baker, 69, went to be with his Lord Jesus Christ on April 30, 2019.

Born in Louisville, KY, June 13, 1949, Michael was a graduate of the University of Louisville and Southern Baptist Theological Seminary. Mike served on the Jeffersontown Police Department and the Jefferson County Police Department, later serving as Chief of Police on the West Buechel Police Department.

Mike was an Army Veteran and a proud member of the Robinson Masonic Lodge #266. He served as Police Chaplain in Lynchburg, VA and Portsmouth, VA, as well as the Jefferson County Police Department and later on with Louisville Metro.

Mike served at 1st Baptist Fisherville and Bethlehem Baptist in Louisville, then was called to Beulah Baptist in Portsmouth, VA. After serving nearly 5 years in Virginia, Mike was called to Victory Memorial in Louisville for 9 years, then was pastor at New Beginning Baptist for 23 years.

He was devoted to his precious wife, Janet Louise Cardin for 52 years. She made his life a joy. Mike had 2 daughters who were the light of his life, Tammy Baker (David) and Sandra Sterling (Kirk); as well as 5 grandchildren and 6 great grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held at 11:00am Monday, May 6, 2019 at Owen Funeral Home-Jeffersontown, 9318 Taylorsville Road, with burial to follow in Cave Hill Cemetery. Visitation will be Sunday 2:00pm-7:00pm, with a Masonic

Service at 6:30pm.

# Cemetery Details

**Cave Hill Cemetery**

## Previous Events

### Visitation

**MAY 5.** 2:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Owen Funeral Home-Jeffersontown  
9318 Taylorsville Road  
Louisville, KY 40299  
(502) 266-9655

### Service

**MAY 6.** 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

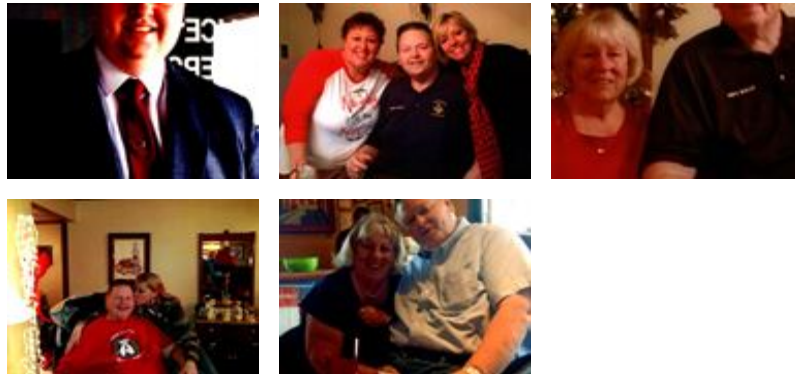
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“ *My precious dede, words can't express how much my heart aches in missing you. I love u so much golden bear.* ”

Crystal schmitt - May 13, 2019 at 12:21 AM

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FUNERAL HOMES

“ 12 files added to the album *Life Tributes* ”



Owen Funeral Homes - May 05, 2019 at 11:51 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Rev. Charles Michael "Mike" Baker.* ”



May 04, 2019 at 12:33 PM



“ *Simply Chic Mixed Plant Basket was purchased for the family of Rev. Charles Michael "Mike" Baker.*



May 04, 2019 at 09:02 AM



“ *30 files added to the album Life Tributes*



Owen Funeral Homes - May 03, 2019 at 02:20 PM



“ *Brian & Andrea Mantel purchased the Crystal Cross Bouquet for the family of Rev. Charles Michael "Mike" Baker.*



Brian & Andrea Mantel - May 03, 2019 at 12:56 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Rev. Charles Michael "Mike" Baker.*



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May 03, 2019 at 10:52 AM



“ *Options Unlimited purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Rev. Charles Michael "Mike" Baker.*



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**Options Unlimited** - May 03, 2019 at 10:41 AM



“ *My Name Is Tammy S. Morton : I Remember Rev. Michael Baker Calling My Name To Get A Book That Love Very Much. That's What I Remember Most About Rev. Michael Baker. I Know He Is In a Better Place Now Up In Heaven as An Angel Up There . From Bethlehem Baptist Church.*



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**TammyMorton** - May 02, 2019 at 07:35 PM



*My name is Sheila Spears, the best time with my pastor and church family is our trips to Galinburg. Always had fun especially when we all had breakfast at the pancake house. Until we meet again. Love you Bro. Mike.*

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**Sheila Spears** - May 04, 2019 at 04:46 PM

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“ *Condolences to the entire Baker family. Remember Mike when he was at Bethlehem Baptist Church. Prayers.*  
*Shy Rice*



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**Shy Rice** - May 02, 2019 at 04:49 PM

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“ *An amazing pastor. Took care of his youth and made sure we had what we needed Both physically and spiritually. I'm so blessed to have been part of the Baker Bunch.*



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**Christy Harlow** - May 02, 2019 at 04:29 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Rev. Charles Michael "Mike" Baker.*



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May 02, 2019 at 03:03 PM